The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr. Tull presented a petition from William Crane and one hundred and eighty-two citizens of Baltimore, for the passage of a law for the better observance of the Sabbath by closing places of traffic;

Which was read and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Smith, of Dorchester, presented a petition from Levi D. Travers, of Dorchester county, praying to be restored to the rights of citizenship;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Registration.

Mr. Darling presented a petition from 300 citizens of Baltimore, protesting against the repeal or modification of the Registry Law,

Which was read and referred to the committee on Registration.

Mr. Calvert presented a petition from 22 citizens and property holders of Bladensburg, against the bill which has been reported, empowering the Commissioners of said village to levy a tax;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Miller, of Washington, presented a petition from Alexander Shafer, Joseph R. Long, Lewis Watson, and sixty other citizens of Washington county, praying the repeal of an act passed January session, 1864, entitled "Fish and Fisheries," in relation to the Potomac river, between New Creek and Weaverton dam;

Which was read and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The Speaker laid before the House a petition from George Harrison, mayor of the city of Cumberland and two hundred and fifty other citizens, praying a modification of the present Registry Law of the State;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Registration.

Mr. Smith, of Allegany, presented a petition from Samuel S. Mills, John S. Stahl and forty-nine others, praying for the soldiers of 1861-62 to be put upon an equality in relation to bounty;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Ways and Meaus.